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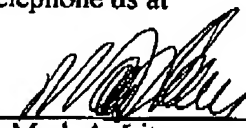
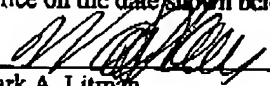
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Applicant hereby request an oral hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from in the appeal of the above-identified application.

The fee for this Request for Oral Hearing is (37 CFR 1.17(d)) \$ 1030.00

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.
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- ☐ A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
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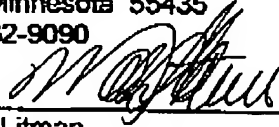
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